

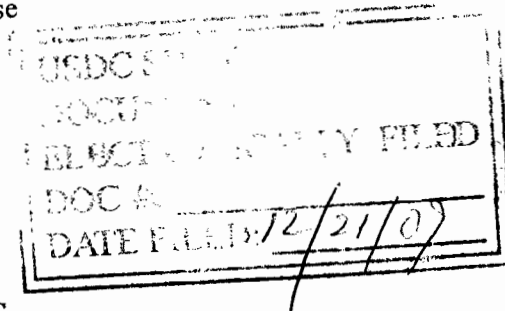
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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In Re: Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether ("MTBE")
Products Liability Litigation

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This document relates to the following case:

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Case No. 04 Civ. 3417



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**STIPULATION AND ORDER DISMISSING
ALL CLAIMS AGAINST LYONDELL CHEMICAL CO.
AND EQUISTAR CHEMICALS, LP**

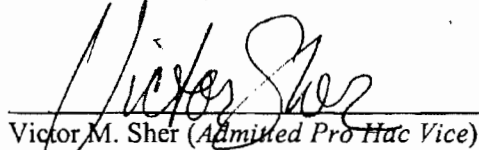
Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(2), the Plaintiffs City of New York, New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority, and New York City Water Board and

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~~Defendant Total Petrochemicals USA, Inc. ("Total")~~, hereby request that the Court enter this

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voluntary dismissal with prejudice of all claims against Lyondell Chemical Co. and Equistar Chemicals, LP (collectively "Lyondell") as set forth in the Plaintiffs' Fourth Amended Complaint, filed on March 9, 2007. The parties agree to the dismissal and further agree that such dismissal is with prejudice, with each party bearing its own attorneys' fees and costs. Plaintiffs reserve all other rights as against all other defendants.

Dated: 31 AUG, 2009



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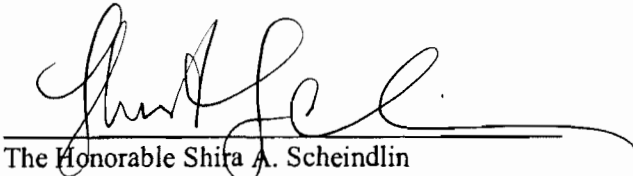
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SO ORDERED:



The Honorable Shira A. Scheindlin
United States District Judge

Dated: 12/21/09